

## Message Text

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TO USLO PEKING

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BTRA US CH EAIR

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF PANAM CHAIRMAN SEAWELL

REF: STATE 19699

1. PANAM BOARD CHAIRMAN WILLIAM T. SEAWELL WILL LEAD A PANAM GROUP VISIT TO THE PRC, ARRIVING JULY 8 FOR A STAY OF ABOUT 10 DAYS. SEAWELL WILL BE ACCCOMPANIED BY JAMES LEET, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT FOR CORPORATE SERVICES, WILLIAM WALTRIP, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT FOR OPERATIONS, AND SHO OHKOGAWA, "PROTOCOL MAN." SEAWELL, LEET AND WALTRIP WILL PROBABLY BE ACCCOMPANIED BY SPOUSES.

2. THIS VISIT, THE SECOND FOR SEAWELL, WILL BE AT INVITATION OF CAAC. PANAM'S CURRENT INTEREST IS PRIMARILY IN KEEPING UP COMMUNICATIONS WITH CAAC; PANAM REMAINS INTERESTED IN OVERFLIGHT RIGHTS FOR POSSIBLE ROUTE ORIGINATING IN EITHER DELHI OR TEHRAN (REFTEL) AND CONTINUING TO HONG KONG, BUT DOES NOT EXPECT TO GET PRC AGREEMENT TO THIS

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AND DOES NOT PLAN TO PUSH FOR IT.

3. GROUP PLANS TO CONTACT USLO FOLLOWING ARRIVAL.

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## Message Attributes

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